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SUBJECT: CSCE/CBM'S: SWEDISH NOTIFICATION OF MILITARY
MANEUVER

1. SWEDEN HAS MADE NOTIFICATION OF THE MILITARY MANEUVER
TO WHICH IT HAD PREVIOUSLY INVITED OBSERVERS. THE
SWEDISH EM0ASSY IN WASHINGTON PRESENTED THE FOLLOWING
NOTE VERBALE TO THE DEPARTMENT ON FEBRUARY 3:
(COMPLIMENTARY OPENING)
WITH REFERENCE TO THE FINAL ACT OF THE CONFERENCE ON
SECURITY AND COOPERATION IN EUROPE, SIGNED ON AUGUST 1ST,
1975, AND IN PARTICULAR TO THE DOCUMENT OF CONFIDENCE-
BUILDING MEASURES AND CERTAIN ASPECTS OF SECURITY AND
DISARMAMENT, THE GOVERNMENT OF SWEDEN W,SHES TO GIVE
NOTICE OF A MILITARY MANOEUVRE TO TAKE PLACE IN THE LOWER
NORRLAND MILITARY COMMAND DURING THE PERIOD MARCH 5-9, 1977.
THE MANOEUVRE IS PART OF THIS YEAR'S BASIC MILITARY
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TRAINING AND THE PERIODICAL REFRES;ER COURSES FOR CON-
SCRIPT PERSONNEL.

PURPOSE OF EXERCISE: COORDINATED TRAINING OF BRIGADE AND
BATTALION FUNCTIONS UNDER WINTER CONDITIONS.

TIME: MARCH 5-9, 1977

PLACE: IN THE VICINITY OF OSTERSUND IN THE LOWER
NORRLAND MILITARY

MILITARY PERSONNEL INVOLVED: APPROXIMATELY 10,000 MEN
FROM THE ARMY AND THE AIR FORCE.
(COMPLIMENTARY CLOSE)

2. THE GOVERNMENT OF SWEDEN HAS DECIDED TO MAKE THIS
NOTIFICATION FOLLOWING ITS INVITATION TO OBSERVERS OF
JANUARY 17. THE HELSINKI FINAL ACT DOES NOT SPECIFY
THAT INVITATIONS TO OBSERVERS MUST BE IN CONNECTION WITH
"MAJOR MILITARY MANEUVERS" AS OPPOSED TO SMALLER
MANEUVERS. NOR DOES IT SPECIFY THAT INVITATIONS MUST
BE LINKED WITH OR FOLLOW A PRIOR NOTIFICATION OF A
MANEUVER.

3. USNATO SHOULD INFORM THE ALLIES OF RECEIPT OF THE
SWEDISH NOTIFICATION.

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